

APRIL—1899.

Calendar table for April 1899 with days of the week and dates.

THE WORLD AT LARGE.

Summary of the Daily News.

WASHINGTON NOTES.

DR. DALY again appeared before the court of inquiry at Washington on the 4th and reiterated his former statements...

THE acting secretary of war received information on the 4th that miners on the Copper river in Alaska were in a starving condition...

THE president has appointed Col. Adelbert I. Buffington to be brigadier general and chief of the bureau of ordnance...

THE director of the census has appointed Sam C. Dunham special agent to take the census of northern Alaska...

THE casualties in the Philippine islands among the United States troops from February 4 to April 4, as reported to the adjutant general at Washington...

THE president has appointed J. Blair Shoenfelt, of Douglas, Wyo., as agent for the Indians of the Union agency in the Indian territory...

THE exchange of ratifications of the treaty of peace with Spain will soon take place at the white house...

THE situation in the Philippines was discussed at the cabinet meeting at Washington on the 7th and a telegram was read to the effect that Aguinaldo was reorganizing his army north of his late capital...

A WASHINGTON dispatch stated that Missouri was the banner state for the small number of applications based on service in the late war with Spain...

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GENERAL NEWS.

GEN. LAWTON started from Manila on the night of the 9th with an expedition to capture the city of Santa Cruz and sweeping the country south.

AGUINALDO, the Filipino leader, issued a decree declaring that Spanish shall be the official language throughout the Philippines.

THE American Anti-Saloon league began operations in Kansas City, Mo., on the 9th. Seven speakers addressed the congregations of various churches...

MINERS in the Copper river district of Alaska are suffering from scurvy.

GREAT BRITAIN'S queen is having a steam yacht built which will cost \$5,000,000.

THE National Anti-Trust league has been formed in St. Louis. It proposes to fight trusts by boycotting trust-made goods...

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ADMIRAL DEWEY, in an interview at Manila about the suggestion that he be a candidate for the presidency next year, has declined positively to allow his name to be issued...

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ARCHBISHOP IRELAND had a parting interview with the pope at Rome and received an autograph letter from his holiness to convey to President McKinley.

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THE Cuban generals met at Marianao and officially decided to reinstate Gen. Gomez as commander-in-chief.

ALLEN L. DALRYMPLE, assistant superintendent of the mail service, in attempting to board a moving Frisco train at St. Louis missed his footing, fell under the wheels and was almost instantly killed.

THE strike of hoisting engineers at Carlinville, Ill., was compromised.

GUSTIDWELL, a butcher, was stabbed to death at Macon, Ga., by Charles Burge, a plumber, in full view of 29 policemen and numerous shoppers and citizens...

L. C. McCLURE, foreman of track repairs, was run over by a train at South McAlester, I. T., on the 7th and had one of his legs cut off, from the effects of which he died.

THE United States transport Arizona arrived at San Francisco on the 6th. The vessel returned with hundreds of sick and convalescent soldiers from the Philippines.

THE largest grain elevator in the world is to be constructed at West Superior, Wis. It will cost \$2,000,000 and will have a capacity of 6,500,000 bushels of grain.

THE most severe winter drought that Texas has known for a quarter of a century was broken by a rain that fell on the 6th soaking every part of the state.

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AN ice gorge in the Yellowstone river at Anaconda, Mont., swept away three spans of the steel bridge and drowned four people...

A FIRE on the 9th destroyed the machine shops of the Northern Pacific at Mandan, N. D., causing a loss of about \$75,000.

JEROME PLAYSEE was run down by a train while walking on the Belt line at Kansas City, Mo., and instantly killed.

RAJAH, the big elephant in Lemon Bros.' circus at Argentine, added the ninth man to the list of his victims when he crushed out the life of his trainer, Frank Fisher...

MRS. JOHN DONAHUE and her son, Timothy, were burned to death in a fire which destroyed their home at Wakefield, Mass.

ONE man was killed and two others wounded in a fight at a negro dance at Vanderbilt, Pa., on the night of the 8th.

THE baseball season of 1899 opened at Kansas City, Mo., on the 9th between the Chicago National league team and the Kansas City Blues...

SECRETARY ALGER left Porto Rico for New York on the 9th. While in the island the secretary received many petitions from municipalities asking financial help and relief from excessive taxation.

MATTHEW HANCOCK, colored, who shot and killed Ticket Broker George Horton in front of the Union station, was hanged in the jail yard at St. Louis on the 8th.

MRS. S. F. FLOWMAN, of Topeka, Kan., sustained fractures of five ribs on her left side in a car wreck in California on the Los Angeles & Pasadena Electric railway...

THERE was a great collapse of values of the industrial shares and street transit specialties on the 7th and Wall street, New York, experienced an hour of excitement closely bordering on a panic.

GOV. THOMAS has signed the bill passed by the general assembly of Colorado legalizing prize fighting when conducted by licensed clubs.

THE bodies of the 336 dead heroes who gave their lives for their country in Cuba or Porto Rico during the Spanish-American war were consigned on the 6th to their resting place in Arlington cemetery at Washington.

THE president and other distinguished men, besides a vast concourse of people, were present at the funeral of the late Gen. W. T. Sherman, son of the late Gen. W. T. Sherman, who has just returned from Porto Rico...

CHICAGO, April 8.—Rev. Father Sherman, who has just returned from Porto Rico, spoke bitterly yesterday of the Spaniards and the Spanish ecclesiastics...

A FIRE at Miami, I. T., destroyed six stores. It was believed to be incendiary.

THE trial of the 13 citizens of Lake City, S. C., for having lynched Postmaster Baker, colored, began at Charleston on the 10th. Two of the men implicated turned state's evidence.

AN attempt at train wrecking was made on the Santa Fe railroad between Dougherty and Berwyn, I. T., the other morning, an obstruction being spiked to the track on a trestle...

H. A. W. TABOR, the Colorado mining magnate and ex-United States senator, died at Denver on the 10th of appendicitis, aged 69 years.

THE trial of ex-Senator Quay and his son, on charges of conspiracy in the misuse of funds of the People's bank in Philadelphia, began on the 10th before Judge Biddle.

AN uncensored telegram from Manila said that it was the opinion of army men that 100,000 American soldiers would be needed to quell the rebellion in the Philippines...

THE coroner and police at St. Louis came to the conclusion that the deaths of John Sullivan and his widowed daughter, Mrs. Dunn, at 1319 Biddle street, were not due to felonious causes, but that they were accidentally asphyxiated.

A DEADLY riot, caused by a negro miner and the troubles among the miners, occurred at Pana, Ill., on the 10th, resulting in seven persons being shot to death and nine others wounded.

SANTA CRUZ was captured by Gen. Lawton's expedition on the 10th and the rebels were driven into the mountains. The Americans had six wounded and the Filipinos lost 68 men and had 49 others wounded.

FRANK CALLAWAY, on the afternoon of the 10th, caused a panic in the crowded department store of Siegel & Hillman, at St. Louis, by shooting and killing his wife, who was employed as a saleswoman there...

MALIETOA CROWNED KING.

United States and British Officials Attended the Ceremony Which Gave Samoa a Ruler—German Officials Absent.

Apia, Samoa, March 24, via San Francisco, April 8.—On March 23, King Tanumadili Malietoa was crowned king of Samoa at Mulinu. Admiral Kautz and Capt. White, of the Philadelphia; Capt. Sturdee and Capt. Forlesse, of the British cruisers Porpoise and Royalist; the United States and British consuls and the chief justice were present at the ceremony...

EVERYBODY was anxiously awaiting definite news from the three powers. It is thought that, if Germany acknowledges Tanu as king, the rebellion will be broken.

THE shelling proceeds daily. Numerous casualties have resulted on both sides. Admiral Kautz and the commanders of the British ships are anxiously awaiting advices from their governments and in the meantime the shelling proceeds daily.

THIRTEEN MEN INDICTED.

True Bills Returned Against the Parties Alleged to Have Participated in the Lynching of a Postmaster.

Charleston, S. C., April 8.—In the United States court here, Judge Brawley presiding, a true bill was found by the grand jury against 13 of the men accused of lynching Fraser B. Baker at Lake City, S. C., February 22, 1898. Before giving the case out Judge Brawley delivered an impressive charge.

THE jury retired and brought in the bill after being out less than an hour. It will be remembered that on the night of February 22, 1898, a mob went to the house of Postmaster Fraser B. Baker, a negro, who was obnoxious to the people of the town. Oil was poured on shavings piled against the house and fire set to it.

WITH US IN SYMPATHY.

Father Sherman Says Porto Rico Should at Once Be Made a Territory and Eventually a State.

Chicago, April 8.—Rev. Father Sherman, son of the late Gen. W. T. Sherman, who has just returned from Porto Rico, spoke bitterly yesterday of the Spaniards and the Spanish ecclesiastics. Father Sherman received a commission as chaplain of the Fourth Missouri volunteers when the war broke out, but left his regiment, being dispatched on special service by an order from Secretary Alger last August.

I was for several months at Porto Rico and think it the most beautiful country in the world. The people are with us in political sympathies and have great faith in our institutions.

THE higher classes are as refined and intelligent as any people I have ever met. The great political problem to me is Hayti. I predict that island will cause much bloodshed in the future. It is in a state of anarchy. The negroes are in the majority, and they have the power in their hands.

HUNGER IN PORTO RICO.

Gen. Roy Stone Says There Were 100,000 Persons There Who Had Neither Bread Nor Meat.

New York, April 8.—Brig. Gen. Roy Stone went to Washington to-day, where he will call the attention of the president to the starvation and distress in Porto Rico.

Persons are dying from starvation all through the interior. In the district of Aguas Banas there were many deaths. The judge in the district of Comerio showed me a book in which he had recorded the names of many who died from lack of food.

Gen. Grant reported 39 deaths from starvation in one district. I saw hundreds of natives emaciated and weak. When I left Porto Rico there were 100,000 persons there who had had neither bread nor meat for two weeks.

THE natives cannot get money to buy the necessities of life. Maj. Gen. Henry is issuing rations and is doing everything in his power to alleviate the distress. One of the objects of my visit was to make arrangements for the establishment of an experimental station under the department of agriculture.

Now in the Federal Court. Kansas City Mo., April 8.—As the result of an order issued by United States Circuit Judge Phillips, the affairs of the Kansas City, Pittsburg & Gulf railroad are now under the direction of the federal court.

THE transfer was made upon the representation of the attorneys for the State Trust company, one of the trustees of the road, that prejudice existed locally and threatened a just settlement of the difficulties over the receivership appointments, in which the property is now involved.

IN FAVOR OF THE CENTAUR CO.

Judge Adams Granted an Injunction in the Castoria Case.

In the United States Circuit Court Tuesday afternoon Judge Adams handed down an opinion in the suit of the Centaur Company, of New York City, against Samuel W. Eslinger, of St. Louis, the suit being for an injunction to restrain the defendant from using the plaintiff's remedy, "Castoria."

IT was stated in complainant's bill that the Centaur Company, of which Charles H. Fletcher is president, is the sole manufacturer of "Castoria," and alleged that the defendant had been selling medicine in packages closely resembling those of the New York firm. A preliminary injunction was prayed for to restrain the defendants from in any way pirating upon the complainant's business.

THE bill averred that the damages sustained were large, but could not be estimated. The plea of the defendant was that he had a right to do as he had done.

EVIDENCE in the case was taken by affidavits. Judge Adams, without leaving the bench, delivered an opinion in which he denounced imitators of well-known medicines. He said the practice was a species of robbery and he would grant the injunction sought.

THE medicine "Castoria" was at first protected by patent and later by label and trade mark. The plaintiff claimed that other decisions similar to the one handed down yesterday have been secured in the Federal courts, cases being innumerable in Chicago, Indianapolis, District of Columbia, Texas and New Jersey, in all of which the courts granted injunctions.

THE attorneys in this suit were Seddon and Blair of St. Louis, and F. H. Scott, of Chicago, for the complainants and Michael Klineally for the defendant. The preliminary injunction is understood to settle the point of law involved, but the question of damages will be adjudged when the case has its final hearing.

THE bottles of the original "Castoria" manufactured by the Centaur Company bear the facsimile signature of the president, Charles H. Fletcher, on the label, while the bottles sold by the defendant company bore on the label the words "Pitcher's Baby Castoria." It is said that criminal proceedings will follow, and that several arrests may be made.

Her Little Joke. Jones delights in a practical joke, but having one played on him is a vastly different matter. The other day his wife rushed breathlessly into the room, gasping "Come, Henry, quick! There's a catamount in the barn!"

Jones grabbed his rifle and sprinted for the scene of action, but his most cautious reconnoiters failed to discover the animal. "Where is the beast?" he demanded.

"Why, Henry, dear," his wife replied, "Tabby has some kittens, and that makes a cat amount, doesn't it?"

Close observers declare that the roof of the Jones residence was seen to suddenly elevate, but it slowly settled again in the course of 24 hours.—N. Y. World.

He Was the Man. Caller—Excuse me, can I speak to your typewriter a moment? City Man—You can't; she's engaged. "That's all right—I'm the fellow!"—Illustrated Bits.

Hicks—"Isn't that your wife's pocket-book?" Wicks—"She has gone off and forgotten it. It is mighty lucky, however, that she has only gone on a shopping trip."—Boston Transcript.

THE WHOLE SYSTEM May Become Invaded by Catarrh --General Lewis' Case.



Hon. James Lewis, Surveyor General of Louisiana.

Pe-ru-na Drug Mfg Co., Columbus, O.: "Gentlemen—I have used Pe-ru-na for a short time and can cheerfully recommend it as being all you represent and wish every man who is suffering with catarrh could know of its great value. Should I at any future time have occasion to recommend a treatment of your kind, rest assured that yours will be the one. Gratefully yours, James Lewis."

Wherever the catarrh is, there is sure to be a waste of mucus. The mucus is as precious as blood. It is blood, in fact. It is blood plasma—blood with the corpuscles removed. To stop this waste, you must stop this catarrh. A course of treatment with Pe-ru-na never fails to do this.

Send for free catarrh book. Address The Pe-ru-na Drug Manufacturing Co., Columbus, Ohio.